

are yet constrained to report unfavorably thereon, deeming it their duty to discountenance any grant, which would by possibility lessen in the smallest degree the already crippled treasury of the State, and believing furthermore any new grant to be in contravention of the spirit of the law of 1834.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Hellen from the select committee to whom was referred the memorial of the planters agents, in the city of Baltimore, praying for a law to set apart one half of the garret room in tobacco warehouse No. 1 in said city, for the use of stays or suspended tobacco, reported favorably thereon with the following resolution :

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the inspectors of the State Tobacco warehouse number four, in the city of Baltimore, be and he is hereby directed to reserve the lower garret floor of said warehouse for the purpose of shaking out stayed or other condemned tobacco, or so much of said garret as may be necessary for the purpose aforesaid, and that permission be given by said inspector to any person engaged in the business of reconditioning such tobacco ; to use the said garret or so much thereof as may be necessary therefor by the said individual as appointed, furnishing his own screws.

Resolved further, That the inspector of tobacco at warehouse number one, be required also to reserve a part of the garret floor of said warehouse for the purpose expressed in the above resolution, and under similar restrictions.

Resolved, That the resolution No. 43, passed at December session 1837, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Read the first time and laid on the table.

Mr. Berry, from the select committee, to whom was referred the bill from the senate, entitled, an act to amend the constitution and form of government, so far as relates to the division of Allegany into election districts and to establish an additional election district reported favorably thereon;

Read the first time and laid on the table.

Mr. Byer reported a bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road from Hagerstown in Washington county to the Pennsylvania line, passed at April session 1836, ch. 321;

Read the first and by special order the second time, and will pass.

Mr. Parke, from the committee to whom was referred the bill from the senate, entitled, an act for the benefit of the crier of Carroll county court, reported favorably thereon ;

Read the first time and laid on the table.

Mr. Bramwell reported a bill entitled, an act to authorise and empower Sarah Murray, widow and administratrix of John Murray, late of Baltimore county, deceased, to execute a certain conveyance therein mentioned ;